## **MEMORANDUM**

Agenda Item No. 7(M)(2)(D)

TO:

Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

. DATE

January 20, 2005

FROM:

Robert A. Ginsburg

County Attorney

**SUBJECT**: Resolution to Replace

Chain Link Fencing with Two-Rail Wood Fencing

at County Parks

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Senator Javier D. Souto.

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Pieas	e note any items checked.
	"4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
	6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
	4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
	Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
	Budget required
	Statement of fiscal impact required
	Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
	Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
	Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
	No committee review

Approved	Mayor	Agenda Item No.	7(M)(2)(D)
Veto		01-20-05	
Override			

RESOLUTION NO.		

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO REPLACE ALL CHAIN LINK FENCING AS ALLOWED BY THE BUDGET IN ALL MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PARKS WITH TWO-RAIL WOOD FENCING EXCEPT WHERE CHAIN LINK FENCING IS NECESSARY FOR OPERATIONAL, SECURITY, OR STORAGE REASONS

WHEREAS, this Board desires to enhance the appearance of Miami-Dade County Parks; and

WHEREAS, this Board recognizes that replacing the chain link fencing in Miami-Dade County Parks with two-rail wood fencing will enhance the appearance and use of the parks; and

WHEREAS, currently the Miami-Dade Park and Recreation Department's standard fencing is a two-rail wood fence, which is in most but not <u>all</u> parks and certain parks, including Greynolds Park, Matheson Hammock Park, and Heritage Park, possess a historic rock fencing; and

WHEREAS, replacing the chain link fencing and other visual barriers promotes the intent of Article 6 of the Miami-Dade County Charter of preserving the scenic beauty of parks; and

WHEREAS, this Board recognizes that for certain operational, security, and storage needs, the Park and Recreation Department must continue to use chain-link fencing in certain locations,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that the Board directs the County Manager as allowed by the budget to replace all chain link fencing in all Miami-Dade

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County Parks with two-rail wood fencing except in those locations where chain link fencing is necessary for operational, security, or storage reasons.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Senator Javier D. Souto and offered by

Commissioner , who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by

Commissioner and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman Dennis C. Moss, Vice-Chairman

Bruno A. Barreiro Jose "Pepe" Diaz Sally A. Heyman Dorrin D. Rolle Katy Sorenson Sen. Javier D. Souto Dr. Barbara Carey-Shuler Carlos A. Gimenez Barbara J. Jordan Natacha Seijas Rebeca Sosa

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 20th day of January, 2005. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By:	
Deputy Clerk	

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

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Mariela Martinez-Cid